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Figure 1

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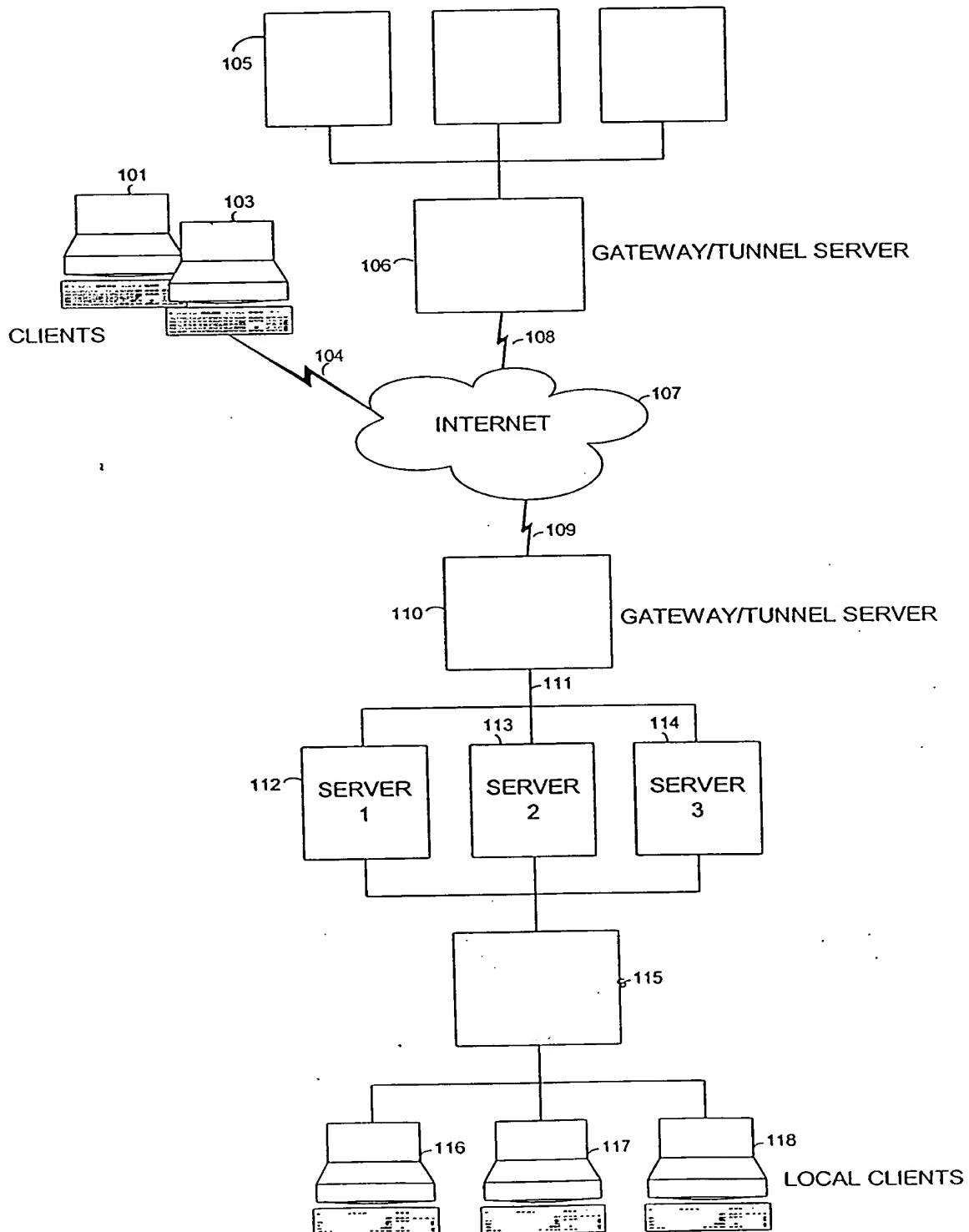
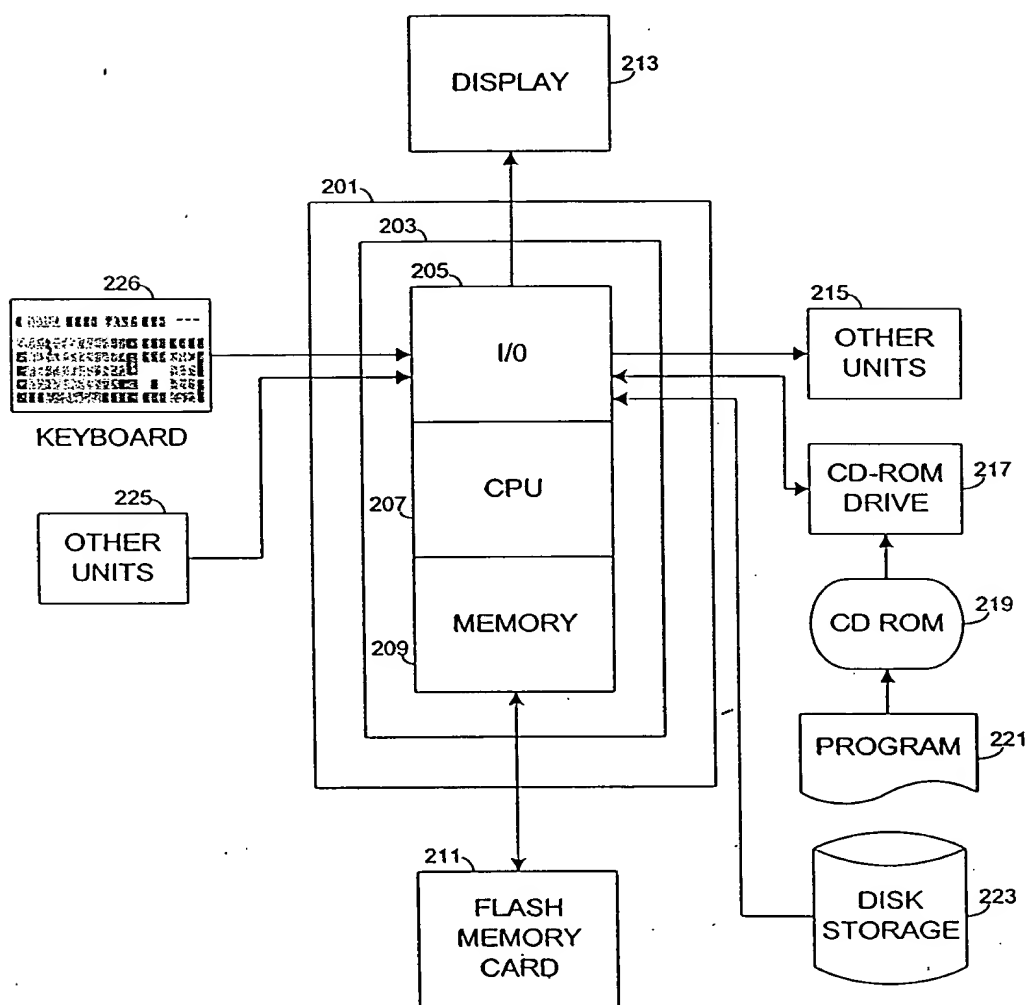
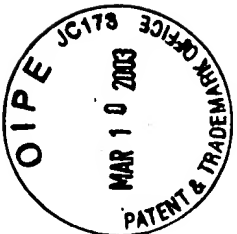




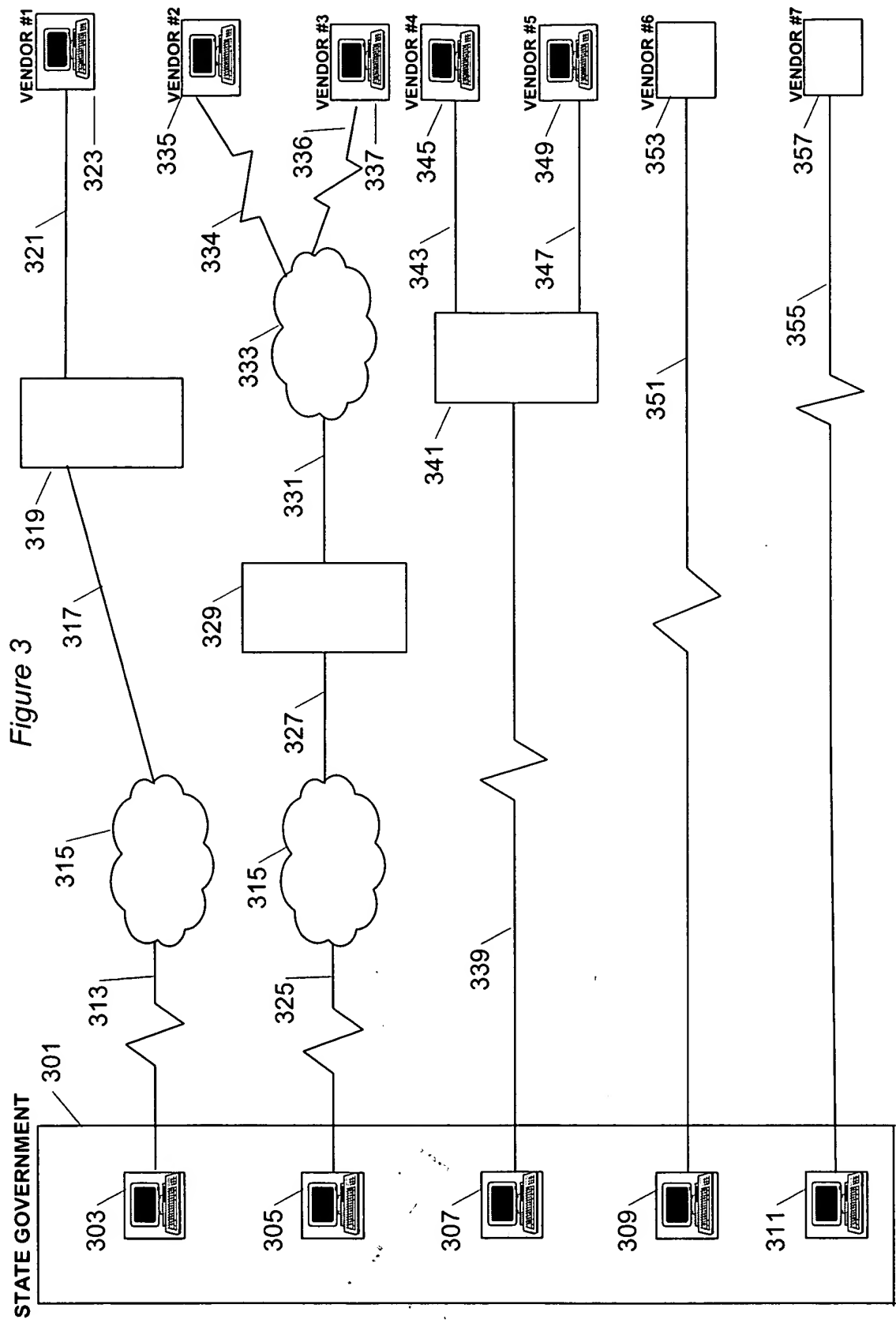
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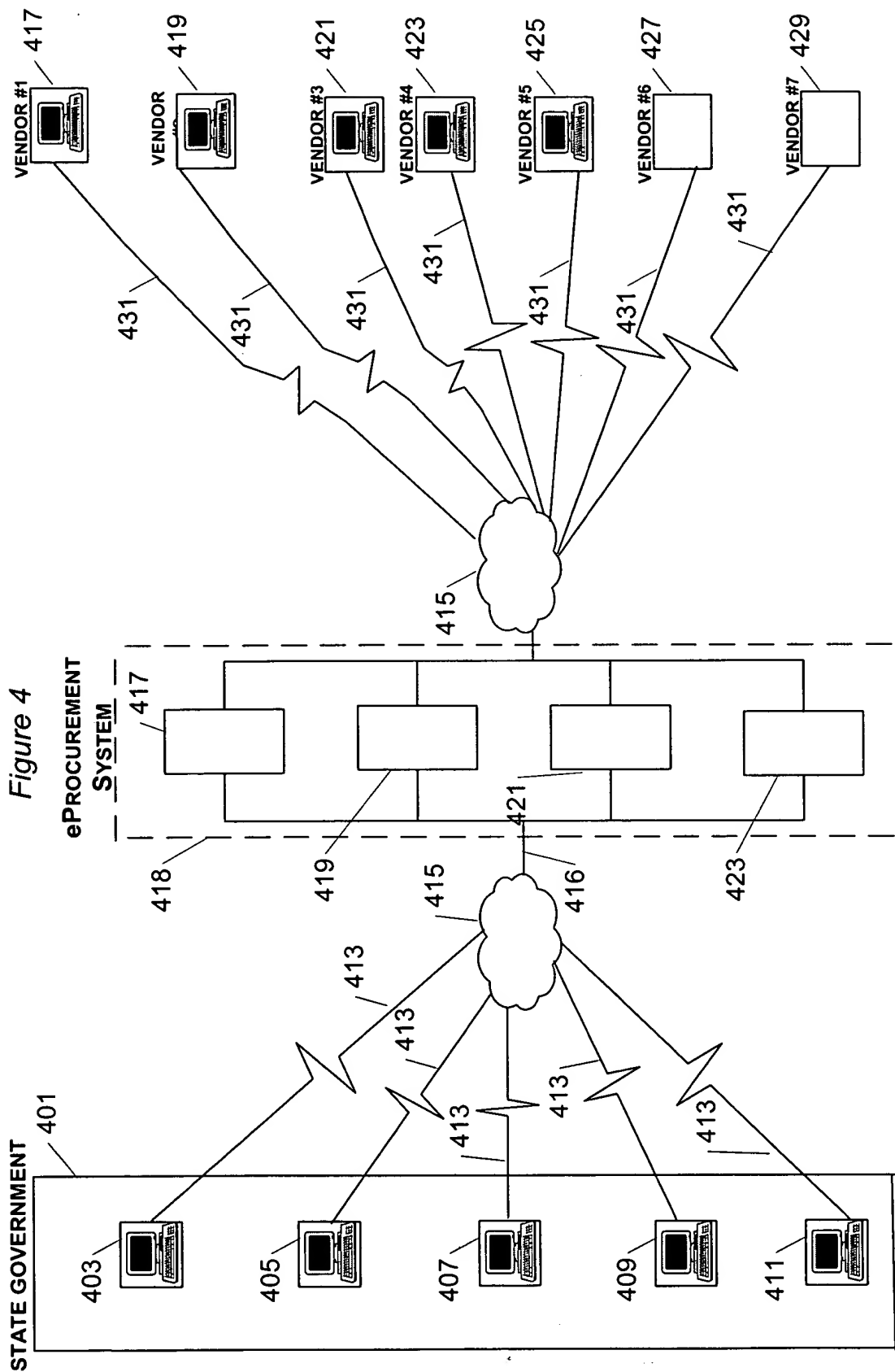
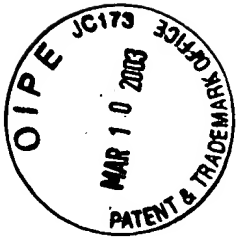
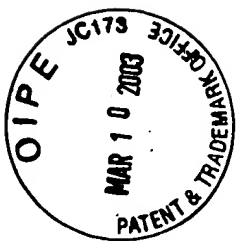
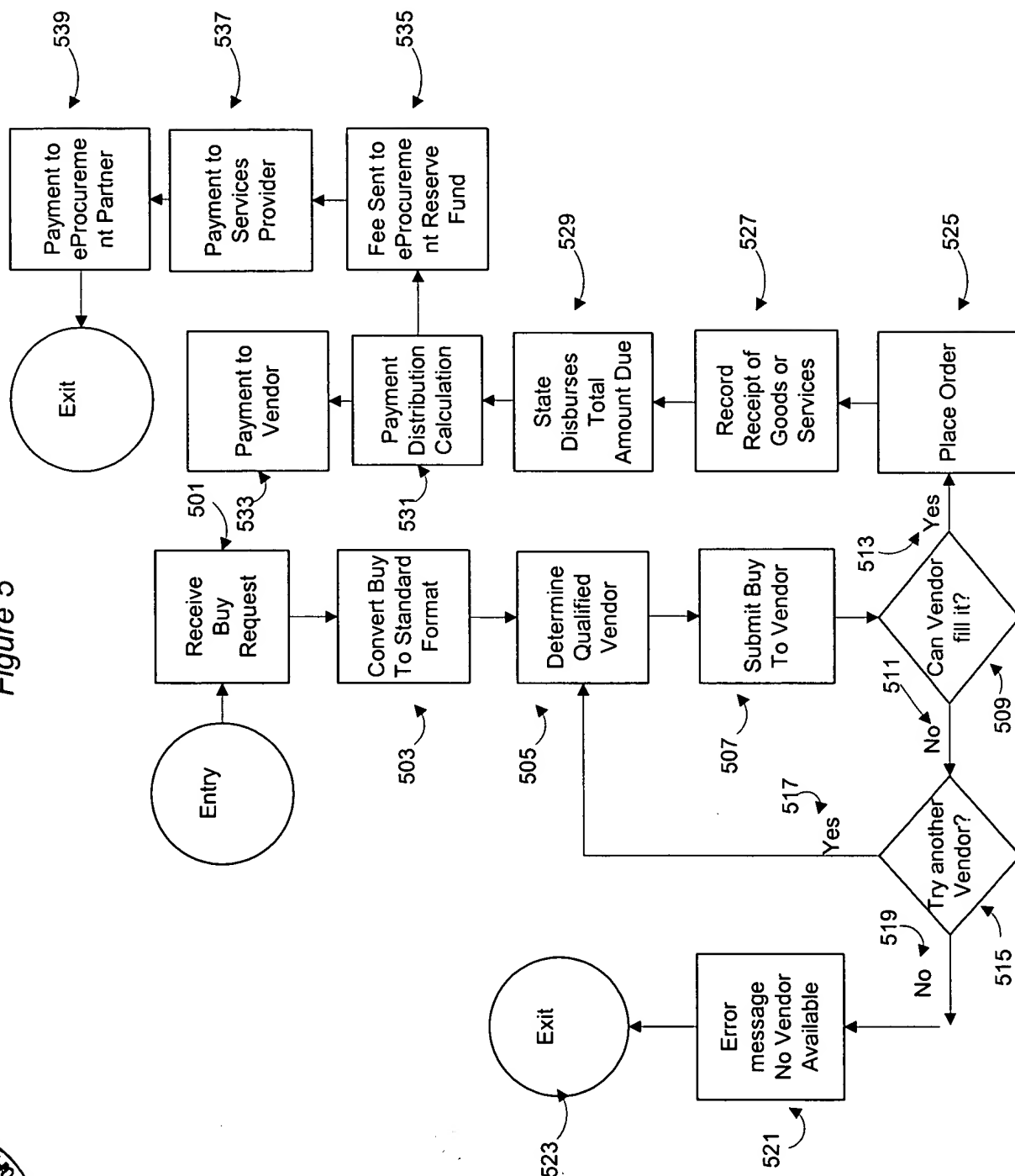


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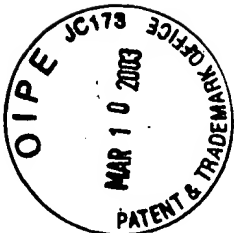


Figure 6  
eProcurement Model

Overview

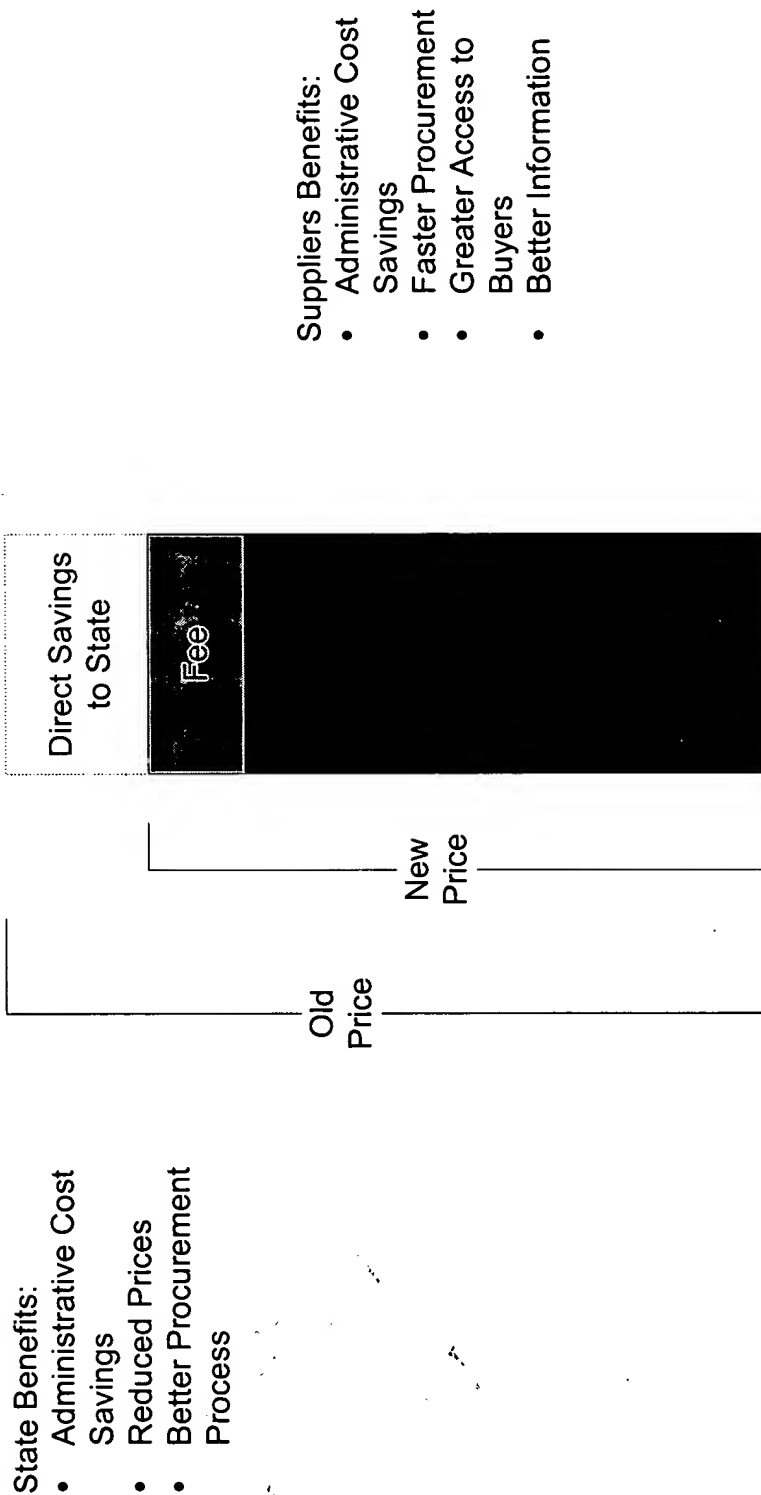
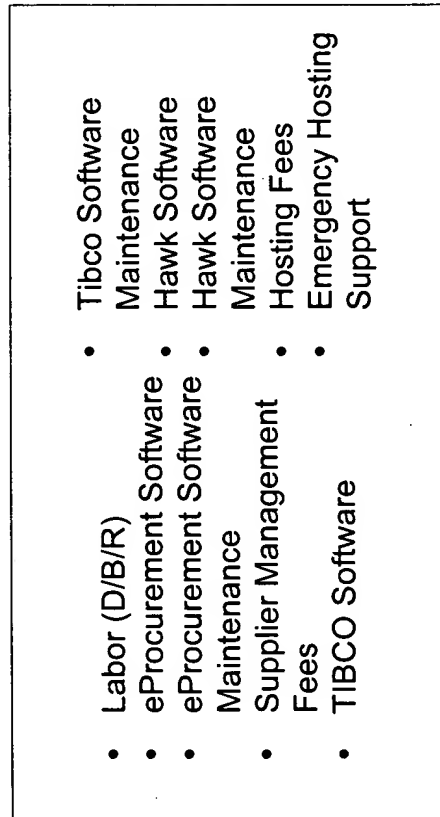


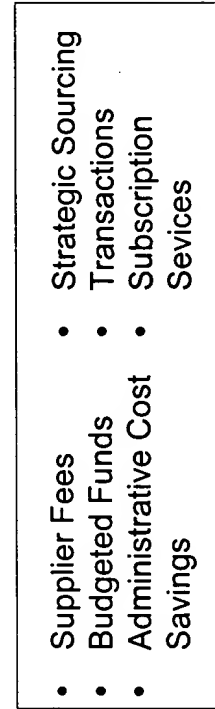
Figure 7

## Business Model Overview

### Services Pool



### Funding Pool



### Service Strategy

- PMO
- Portals
- eProcurement
- Transactions
- Other

### Over/Under Funded

- + Over = Share
- Under = Adjust



Figure 8

800 ⇒ eProcurement System Architecture

